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APPLICATION FOR REISSUE OF:
(Check applicable box) ☒ Utility Patent ☐ Design Patent ☐ Plant Patent

APPLICATION ELEMENTS (37 CFR 1.173)

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification and Claims in double column copy of patent format
(amended, if appropriate)
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5. ☒ Reissue Oath/Declaration (original or copy)
(37 C.F.R. 1.175) (PTO/SB/51 or 52)
6. ☐ Power of Attorney
7. ☒ Original U.S. Patent currently assigned? ☒ Yes ☐ No
(If Yes, check applicable box(es))
 - ☒ Written Consent of all Assignees (PTO/SB/53)
 - ☒ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement (PTO/SB/96)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

10. ☐ Statement of status and support for all
changes to the claims. See 37 CFR 1.173(c).
11. ☐ Original Patent Grant
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 - ☐ Statement of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
12. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119)
(if applicable)
13. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☒ Copies of IDS
Citations
14. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration
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15. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
16. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
17. Other: _____

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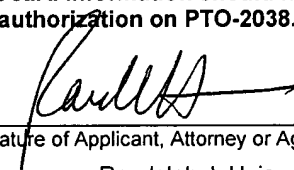
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REISSUE APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM						Docket Number (Optional) INA-PT046RE (3576-18-US.1)		
Claims as Filed – Part 1								
Claims in Patent	Number Filed in Reissue Application	(3) Number Extra	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity			
			Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee		
(A) 7	Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(j))	**** 0 =	x \$ _____ =		or	x \$ 18 _____ =	0	
(C) 1	Independent claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	* 0 =	x \$ _____ =			x \$ 84 _____ =	0	
			Basic Fee (37 CFR 1.16(h))				\$ 750	
			Total Filing Fee		\$ _____	OR	\$ 750	
Claims as Amended – Part 2								
	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment	MINUS	(2) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(3) Extra Claims Present	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity	
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Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(j))	*** 7	MINUS	** 20	* = 0	x \$ _____ =		x \$ _____ =	
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	*** 1	MINUS	***** 3	= 0	x \$ _____ =		x \$ _____ =	
					Total Additional Fee		\$	OR \$ 0
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